Docket No.

204398US2

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hideyo MAKINO

SERIAL NO: 09/820,933

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FOR:

MULTI-BEAM SCANNING DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE

SCANNING DEVICE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith:

Marked-up Copy of Amendment

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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